IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 13 and 15 by rewriting them as follows:

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13. (Twice Amended) In combination, seeds for germination, a packed tape comprising at least one folded tape and a package, characterized in that the tape carries the seeds and is zigzag folded into at least one oblong stack in such a manner that some of the bendings of the tape are flush with the ends of the stack whereas the remaining bendings are positioned at varying distances therefrom, thereby facilitating pulling the tape out of the package.

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15. (Twice Amended) A method of producing a packed, flexible, folded tape and a package containing seeds for germination, characterized in that the tape carries the seeds and is advanced continuously from a tape supply to a packing location where said tape is zigzag folded by virtue of its weight and by means of side lowering means into at least one oblong stack on the bottom of the package formed as a bag or a box in such a manner that some of the bendings of the tape are flush with the ends of the stack and that the remaining bendings are positioned at varying distances therefrom, thereby facilitating pulling the tape out of the package, and that after the filling of the package the layers of the stack are compressed and the package is closed.